

Condition of Crops.—Standing crops fair in the Tarikere and Kadur Taluks; sugar-cane in the Koppa Taluk, Bengal-gram, togari, avare, and castor-oil seeds in the Chikmagalur Taluk, and paddy in the Múdgere Taluk good.

Crops harvested.—Ragi, paddy, sugar-cane, javari, kurasani, same, chillies and castor-oil seeds in the Tarikere Taluk; arecanut and sugar-cane in the Lakvalli Taluk. Paddy, arecanut, cardamom, and coffee were being harvested in the Koppa Taluk. Ragi, paddy, sugar-cane and javari in the Chikmagalur Taluk; ragi, chillies, horse-gram and castor-oil seeds in the Kadur Taluk. Cardamom harvested and coffee was being harvested in the Múdgere Taluk.

Prospects.—Good.

Health.—Generally good.

Live-Stock.—The loss of cattle during the month was 314 against 381 in the previous month.

Lands.—Lands assessed at Rs. 152 were taken up for cultivation.

Prices.—Stationary.

K. MUHAMMAD ALI,
for Dy. Commissioner.

Visitors to the Mysore Government Museum, Bangalore, during the month of January 1883, were 21,706 in number, averaging, exclusive of Sundays and holidays, 1,034 daily.

SIGNATURES MADE IN—										Total of Signatures.		Unable to sign but tally kept.	Total of Visitors.	Unable to sign No. of—		Total of Visitors.
English.														Men and Boys.	Women and Girls.	
Europeans.	Natives.	Tamil.	Telugu.	Canarese.	Hindustani.	Mahratta.	Guzarati.	Nagari.	Sindhi.	Males.	Females.					
497	696	451	192	1,110	314	59	13	1	2	3,158	177	18,371	21,706	9,534	8,837	21,706

J. HOUSTON, M. D.,
Superintendent.

Abstract of Meteorological Reports received from Head-Quarters of Districts and Sub-Divisions in the Province of Mysore, from 1st to 15th January 1883.

HEAD QUARTERS.	Thermometer.							Thermometer.		Rain.		Wind.
	Averages for the half month.							Maximum.	Minimum.	Inches.	Cents.	
	9-30 A. M.				3-30 P. M.							
	Dry bulb.	Wet bulb.	Differ-ence.	Dry bulb.	Wet bulb.	Differ-ence.						
Kolar	...	71	...	...	74	...	...	...	...	...	...	N. E. & E.
Tumkūr *
Mysore *
Hassan	...	61	51	10	73	51	22	81	42	...	...	...
Shimoga *
Kadur	...	69	58	...	77	62	...	77	57	...	...	N. E.
Chitaldroog	...	74	...	...	75	...	...	...	...	...	...	N. E.

* Information not received.